Amendment to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. - 2. (canceled)

3. (currently amended) A household account book management apparatus comprising plural input units which input a variety of account data of different formats from a variety of account data sources, a processing unit which processes the inputted account data, a memory unit which stores the processed result performed by said processing unit and a display unit which displays the account data stored in said memory unit as a household account book, wherein said memory unit stores a rule for ~~converting the inputted account data of different formats into a predetermined unified format~~searching for correlated inputted account data according to the date thereof, said processing unit includes a data analysis unit which converts the inputted account data of different formats into the predetermined unified format ~~based on the rule stored in the memory unit~~, said display unit displays the respective inputted account data after conversion and the account data after conversion entered in said memory unit as the household account book and said processing unit further includes an overlap judgment unit which judges an overlap between the respective inputted account data after conversion displayed on said display unit and

the account data after conversion entered in said memory unit as the household

account book based on the rule stored in the memory unit, and stores the account

data into said memory unit based on the result of the overlap judgment.

4. - 5. (canceled)

6. (previously presented) A household book management apparatus

according to ~~claim 5~~claim 3, wherein said processing unit includes a check unit

which displays the converted account data on said display unit for verifying the

account data converted by said data analysis unit into the predetermined format.

7. (canceled)

8. (currently amended) A household account book management system in

which a plurality of terminals are connected via a network and at least one terminal

includes a household account book management apparatus which displays account

data inputted via the network as a household account book, wherein said household

account book management apparatus includes plural input units which input a

variety of account data of different formats from the plurality of terminals, a

processing unit which processes the inputted account data, a memory unit which

stores the processed result performed by said processing unit and a display unit

which displays the account data stored in said memory unit as a household account

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book, wherein said memory unit stores a rule for ~~converting the inputted account~~ ~~data of different formats into a predetermined unified format~~<u>searching for correlated</u> <u>inputted account data according to the date thereof</u>, said processing unit includes a data analysis unit which converts the inputted account data of different formats into the predetermined unified format ~~based on the rule stored in the memory unit~~, said display unit displays the respective inputted account data after conversion and the account data after conversion entered in said memory unit as the household account book and said processing unit further includes an overlap judgment unit which judges an overlap between the respective inputted account data after conversion displayed on said display unit and the account data after conversion entered in said memory unit as the household account book<u> based on the rule stored in the memory</u> <u>unit</u>, and stores the account data into said memory unit based on the result of the overlap judgment.

9. (previously presented) A household account book managing apparatus according to claim 3, wherein at least one of said plural input units receives account data from the outside of said household account book managing apparatus via a network.

10. (previously presented) A household account book management apparatus according to claim 3, wherein said display unit displays money movement between the plural account data sources.

11. (new) A household account book management apparatus comprising an input unit which inputs a variety of account data from a variety of account data sources, a processing unit which processes the inputted account data and a memory unit which stores the processed result performed by said processing unit, wherein said memory unit stores a rule for searching for correlated inputted account data according to the date thereof, and said processing unit further includes an overlap judgment unit which judges an overlap between the respective inputted account data based on the rule stored in the memory unit, and stores the account data into said memory unit based on the result of the overlap judgment as the household account book.

12. (new) A household account book management system in which a plurality of terminals are connected via a network and at least one terminal includes a household account book management apparatus which displays account data inputted via the network as a household account book, wherein said household account book management apparatus includes an input unit which inputs a variety of account data from the plurality of terminals, a processing unit which processes the inputted account data, a memory unit which stores the processed result performed by said processing unit and a display unit which displays the account data stored in said memory unit as a household account book, wherein said memory unit stores a rule for searching for correlated inputted account data according to the date thereof,

said display unit displays the respective inputted account data and the account data entered in said memory unit as the household account book and said processing unit further includes an overlap judgment unit which judges an overlap between the respective inputted account data displayed on said display unit and the account data entered in said memory unit as the household account book based on the rule stored in the memory unit, and stores the account data into said memory unit based on the result of the overlap judgment.